GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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TICKET CANCELLATION CHARGES
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways have revised the charges on ticket cancellation;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor; and

(c) the financial benefits likely to be accrued to the Railways there from, Zone wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI NARANBHAIJ. RATHWA)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): In order to recover the increased cost in cancellation of tickets, the minimum cancellation charges on reserved tickets have been increased by Rs. 10 on second class, Rs. 20 on sleeper and AC First class and Rs. 30 on other classes. Besides, the clerkage charge on cancellation on other tickets has been increased by Rs. 10 for ail classes., except for second class unreserved tickets where no increase has been made.

(c): The Additional revenue of approximately Rs. 87 crorea per year is expected from the increase in clerkage and cancellation charges tor the entire Indian Railway. Zone-wise financial implications are not assessed.